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Applicant : Thomas Frederick ENNS

Serial No. : 10/067,511 Group Art No.: 3763

Filed: : February 4, 2002 Examiner: Anhtuan T. Nguyen

For: : DRUG DELIVERY NEEDLE DEVICE

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## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 20, 2002, please amend the application as follows.

## IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claim 1 as follows:

1. (Amended) A needle device for percutaneous drug delivery to a patient, the device comprising:

a substantially L-shaped, hollow needle for drug delivery therethrough, the needle including a needle end; and

a body secured to said needle and longitudinally spaced from said needle end, said